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TAGS: OEXC, IT (CECCHERINI, CARLO)

SUBJECT: EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL EXCHANGE : FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE FOR CARLO CECCHERINI

1. NOMINATE CARLO CECCHERINI, JOURNALIST WITH IL POPOLO, DC PARTY PAPER, FOR FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE. WILL TRAVEL TO US ON DECEMBER 2 FOR A 20-DAY VISIT. PURPOSE OF TRIP TO VISIT SMALL RADIO STATIONS TO STUDY THEIR ORGANIZATION AND PROGRAMS, WITH CLEAR VIEW IN MIND SET UP SMALL STATION IN ROME FOR IMMEDIATE POLITICAL IMPACT. REQUESTS DEPARTMENT ASSISTANCE FOR CONTACTS AND VISITS, AND INTERPRETER SERVICE FOR OFFICIAL CONTACTS, LIMITED TO TWO OR THREE MAJOR CITIES ON EAST COAST, PROBABLY NEW YORK, WASHINGTON, BOSTON. HIS ENGLISH IS ONLY FAIR.

2. CECCHERINI SON OF MINISTER ANDREOTTI'S PRESS ATTACHE GIORGIO CECCHERINI WHO ACCOMPANIED ANDREOTTI ON HIS TRIPS TO US INCLUDING RECENT PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION.

3. BIODATA: BORN ROME, JULY 20, 1946; ITALIAN CITIZEN; ADDRESS VIA BARRILI 16, ROME; POSITION; JOURNALIST WITH IL POPOLO, FOR ITALIAN AFFAIRS SINCE 1971; STARTED JOURNALIST CAREER WITH IL POPOLO IN 1968; EDUCATION; UNIVERSITY STUDIES IN POLITICAL SCIENCE; ENGLISH FAIR; NAMECHECK PENDING. MARRIED; DAUGHTER, 8, SON, 2.

4. CECCHERINI WISHES START PROGRAM IN NEW YORK AND PLANS  
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ARRIVE THERE AT 16:40 HOURS DECEMBER 2 VIA TWA 841. REGRET

SHORTNESS OF WARNING, BUT CECCHERINI WISHES SUBMIT DESIGN  
PLAN FOR ROME STATION BY JANUARY 1. WILL NOTIFY NAME HOTEL  
NEW YORK SOONEST.BEAUDRY

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